

Judge James L. Robart

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

NO. CR19-194JLR

Plaintiff,

V.

[PROPOSED] ORDER CONTINUING
TRIAL AND PRETRIAL MOTIONS DATE

ANTHONY EDWIN PAUL and
THEODORE KAI SILVA.

Defendants.

THIS COURT, having considered the Parties Joint Motion to Continue, and being familiar with the docket and pleadings filed therein,

HEREBY FINDS that a continuance of the trial date is necessary because the ends of justice served by such a continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and Defendants Anthony Paul and Theodore Silva in a speedy trial. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

THIS COURT FURTHER FINDS that given the complexity of this case and the volume of discovery in the case, a reasonable period of delay is necessary on the grounds that the failure to grant such a continuance in the proceedings would be likely to make a continuation of such proceeding impossible and result in a miscarriage of justice.

1 THIS COURT FURTHER FINDS that this case is unusual and complex due to the
2 issues of law and fact presented, and that it is unreasonable to expect adequate
3 preparation for pretrial proceedings or for the trial itself within the time limits established
4 by the Speedy Trial Act. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(ii).

5 THIS COURT FURTHER FINDS that, to the extent that the issues presented by
6 this case are not so complex or unusual, the defense and the government have exercised
7 due diligence, and the failure to grant such a continuance would deny the defendants the
8 reasonable time necessary for effective preparation. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv).

9 THIS COURT HEREBY GRANTS the Joint Motion for Continuance of Trial
10 and sets the trial of this case for October 13, 2020. The Court further sets the pre-trial
11 motions date for July 30, 2020.

12 THIS COURT FURTHER EXCLUDES the period of delay from the date of this
13 order to the new trial date of Oct. 13, 2020, from computing the time within which the
14 trial must commence. This period of delay is excluded based on the findings of this
15 Court that (a) the ends of justice served from granting the continuance outweigh the best
16 interests of the public and Defendants Anthony Paul and Theodore Silva in a speedy trial.
17 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A).

18 Dated this 12th day of November, 2019.

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23 HONORABLE JAMES L. ROBART
24 United States District Judge
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